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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Malik

Confirmation No.: 3309

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Group Art Unit: 3629

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For: **SYSTEMS, METHODS AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCTS FOR
FACILITATING ONE-TO-ONE SECURE ON-LINE COMMUNICATIONS
BETWEEN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PROVIDERS AND REMOTELY
LOCATED CLIENTS**

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is being filed concurrently with a Request For Continued Examination. Entry of all claim amendments herein and allowance of all claims is respectfully requested.

If any extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.